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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to the September 21, 2005 Office Action in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Applicant(s) petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 [fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)] for the total number of months checked below:

EXTENSION (months)		FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY		FEE FOR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
1 month	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	\$60.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$120.00
2 months	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$225.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$450.00
3 months	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$510.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,020.00
4 months	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$795.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,590.00
5 months	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,080.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$2,160.00

- ☐ An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

- ☒ Extension fee due with this Request \$60.00.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a))

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to the Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA, 22313-1450.

December 22, 2005

Date of Deposit

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- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

**FEE FOR CLAIMS:**

- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27.

The fees for claims (37 CFR § 1.16(b)-(d)) have been calculated as shown below:

Total Claims	33	-	34	=	0	x	\$50.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	10	-	8	=	2	x	\$200.00	\$400.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	\$360	(if applicable)					<input type="checkbox"/>	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS</b>								<b>\$400.00</b>
Reduction by ½ for Filing by Small Entity. Note 37 CFR §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28.								<input type="checkbox"/> \$200.00
<b>TOTAL FEES FOR CLAIMS SUBMITTED HERewith</b>								<b>\$200.00</b>

**ADDITIONAL PAPERS:**

- ☐ Terminal Disclaimer to Obviate a Double Patenting Rejection (37 CFR 1.321(b) and (c)) and the \$110.00 filing fee.
- ☐ Letter Re Change of Attorney Docket No.
- ☐ Change of Correspondence Address Application

**FEE PAYMENTS:**

- ☐ A check in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed to cover the above fee(s).
- ☒ Charge Jones Day's Deposit Account No. **50-2468** in the amount of **\$260.00**.

- ☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge Jones Day's Deposit Account No. **50-2468** for any fees required under 37 CFR §§ 1.16, 1.17, and 1.20(d) that are not covered, in whole or in part, by a check enclosed herewith and to credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account **50-2468**.

Respectfully submitted,

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